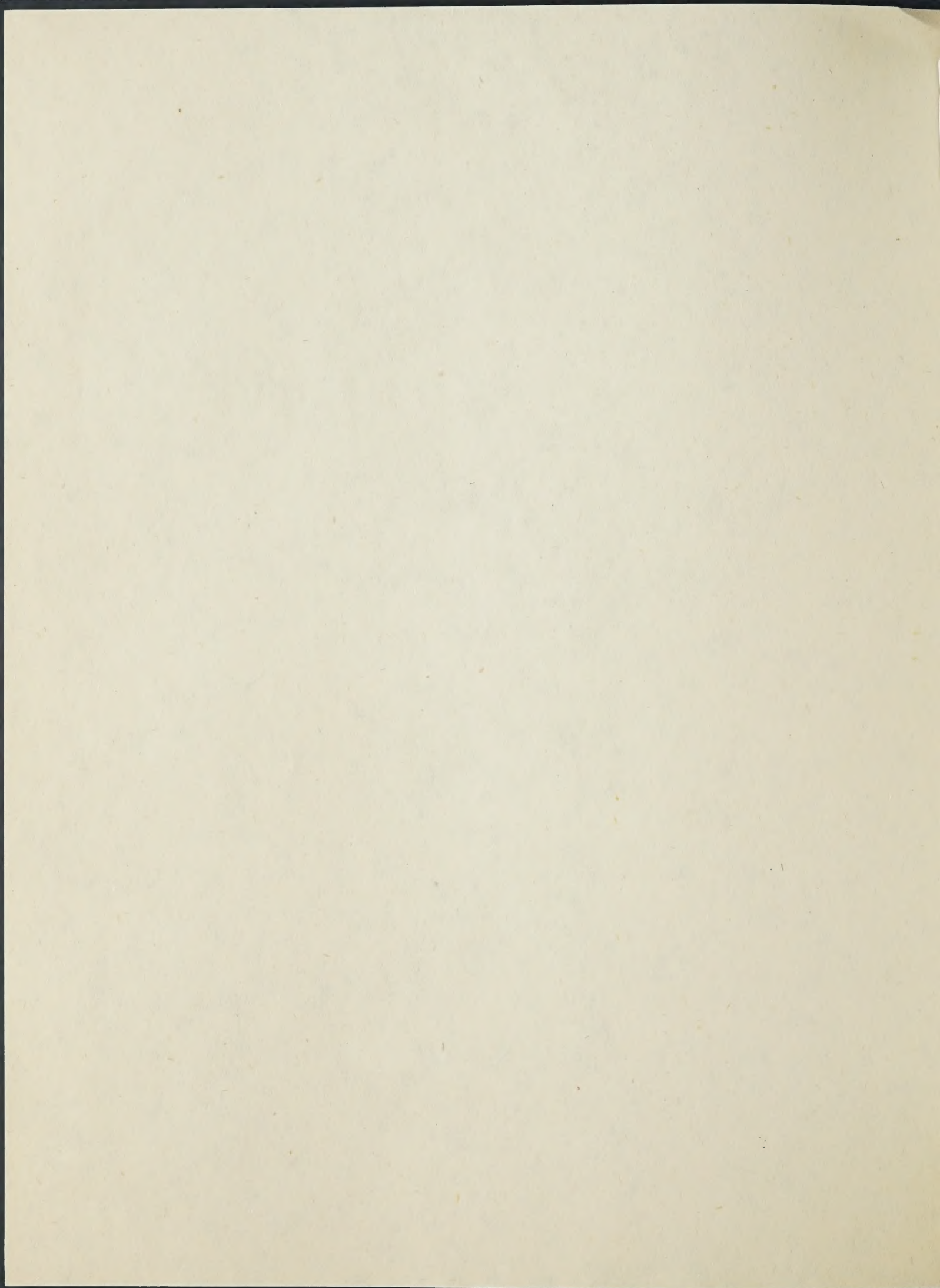


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Sir Robert Alexander Falconer,
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Dear Sir:-

I am enclosing for your information a copy of the regulations governing the award of grants for research offered by the Honorary Advisory Council for Scientific and Industrial Research.

The chief object of these grants is to assist researches which are of importance to the National industries of Canada. Grants may be awarded to assist in the solution of problems which have no direct industrial bearing if the research is considered by the Committee to be original and to constitute a valuable addition to scientific knowledge.

Would you kindly submit these regulations to any members of your staff or any colleagues to whom you think they would be of interest.

Sincerely yours,

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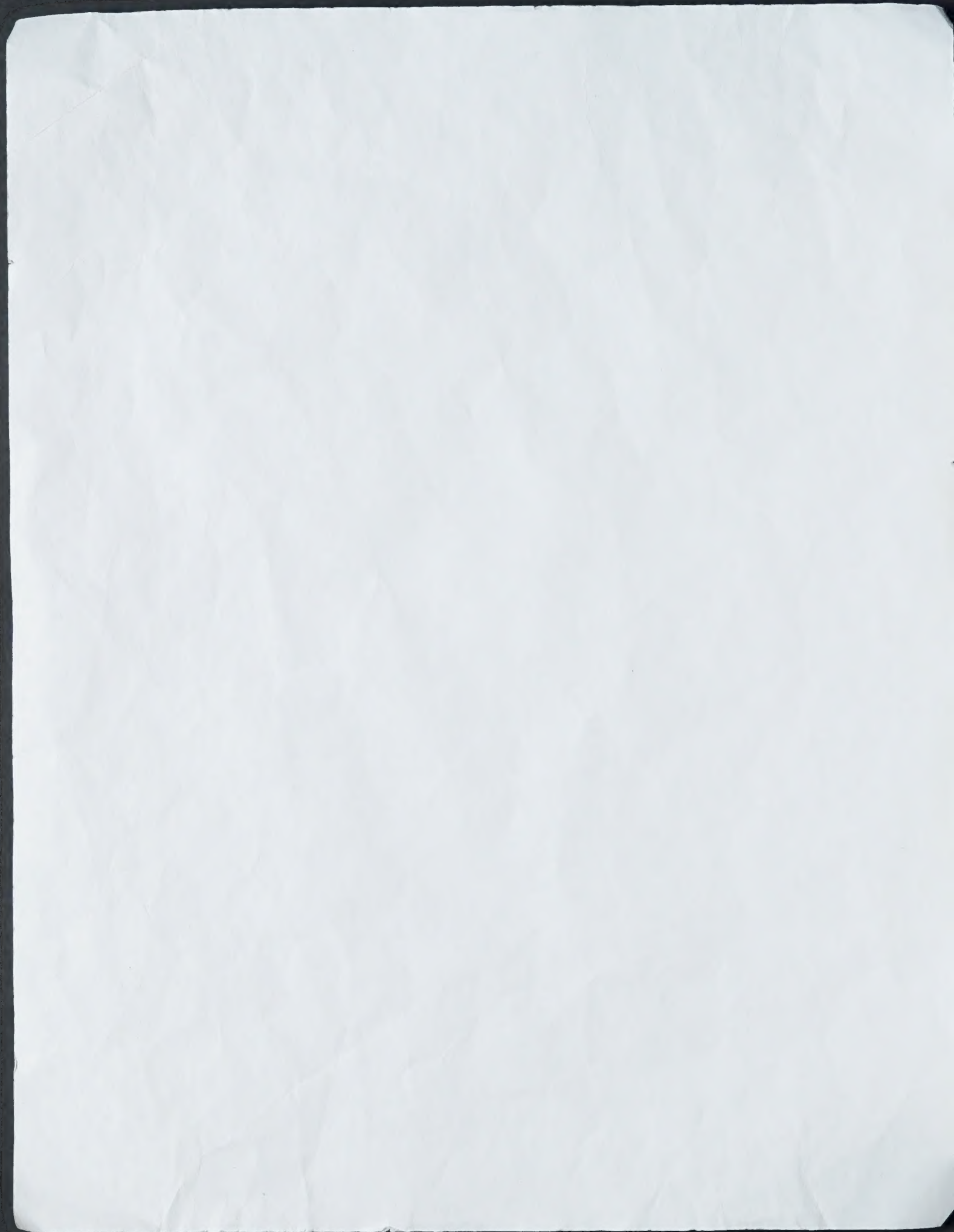
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1. The recommending of the giving or refusing of grants by the Advisory Council shall be in the hands of a Committee of three members of the Council to be known as the Committee on Assisted Researches. This Committee may utilize the advice and assistance of any persons inside or outside the Council who, in their judgment, may be of value in any application under consideration.
2. The applicant must give a brief statement of the proposed investigation, its scope, time required, results hoped for, total cost, grant asked, specific purpose to which grant applied for is to be put, evidence of ability to carry on the investigation, concise statement of adequacy of general equipment of laboratory where investigation is to be carried on. If the applicant has asked for or is receiving a grant from any other body, he must state this fact in his application.
3. Grants will, as a general rule, only be made to persons who are conducting investigations in established laboratories which possess the fundamental apparatus and facilities necessary for research of the nature proposed, and where the ordinary overhead charges are already provided for, and will not be made for the purchase of standard apparatus which a well-equipped laboratory should possess.

4. Grants made are to be for requirements for one year only, but further grants may be made annually.
5. Grants will be made only to persons who can show capacity for independent research, and who have a reputation for trustworthiness and responsibility.
6. Grants are to be made only for the actual expenses of investigation, but may be used in whole or in part for the payment of assistants, and are not intended to support the grantee while carrying out the investigation.
7. When a grant has been made for a specific purpose, it must be used for that purpose only. If the grantee desires to change in any manner the subject of his investigation he must make application to have the grant made available for the altered investigation.
8. All apparatus and materials purchased with grants are to be regarded as the property of the Advisory Council, and when the investigation is concluded are to be subject to the disposition of the Council.
9. A report of progress is to be made annually by the grantee, or whenever called for, and, in every case, on the completion or conclusion of the investigation.
10. The grantee shall render annually, or whenever called upon, an itemized account of his expenditure, with vouchers. Such account shall also be made on the completion or conclusion of the investigation, and the balance of the grant required shall be paid over to the Advisory Council.

11. The grantee shall present a complete copy of the results of his investigation, before its publication, to the Advisory Council, who shall have the right of publishing it under their own auspices. When the grantee publishes his research, he shall make due acknowledgment of the assistance received from the Council.
12. The Council will give careful consideration to every application, but will not assign reasons for refusing to make grants applied for.

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